

case were high, and patients came to him from all parts of the world. His latest private case for an operation was a Mr. Sedgwick, who was no danger after the job, he left the patient in charge of one of his young assistants. He sought difficult cases; all were "beautiful" for him. Attached to the great St. Louis hospital, he would perform the operations during his morning rounds. His specialty was the removal of tumours; he opened the abdomen examined all the inside, removed the ailment, stitched up, and all was well. Rarely he caused a death, and in a dangerous case warned the relatives of the patient in advance. It is said that when he removed a General Sancer of some 300 lbs. of fat, he talked to him all the time about the Prussian light in 1870, at Chantonnay. He has two daughters, married. On Saturday, 24th January, he came home, and when dressing for dinner was suddenly affected with a stroke; he fell his pulse, and said to his wife, "I'm lost, give for the sake of the Madolesse." The fever made no progress in the lungs. "I never met such a fever as that in all my professional life. It cannot be conquered," he said to the doctors. After paralyzing of the last ribs, and saying, "I die in the faith of my fathers," he was seized with another paroxysm. "That passed, he felt his pulse; said, 'In one hour I shall be dead,' and expired at the minute. He founded an international hospital for his own patients five years ago. His funeral was very elegant. Mr. Sedgwick was a very powerful man, a reliable Hercules, and was never known to be sick in his life.

The Colonial Exhibition is down in the month, their project of having a separate 1900 Colonial Exhibition installed at St. Cloud, may be regarded as fallen through. The Municipal Council will send visitors to the city, by allowing more space round the Trocadero, and connecting sites by tram.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The German steamer *Tector*, from Moji 10th March, had N.E. storm with high sea. The British steamer *Zeppo*, from Manila 12th March, had strong breeze, high sea, and dull overcast weather throughout. The British steamer *Chenai*, from Hongkong 7th March, had gentle to moderate breeze as far as Pulo Obi; then strong breeze to Pulo Obi, from thence to port strong breeze to moderate gale. The British steamer *Hailong*, from Tamsui 11th March, Amoy 14th, and Swatow 14th, had strong N.E. breeze and heavy sea to Pulo Obi, from Amoy to Swatow moderate N.E. breeze and moderate sea. From Swatow to port moderate N.E. breeze and heavy weather. In Amoy—*Str. Kuching*, in Swatow—*Str. Zichang* and *Honam*.

VESSELS PASSED ANTER.

Feb. 14, German *Rehla*, Hoyer, Nov. 3, from Savannah for Swatow. 16, Dutch *Prinses Maria*, Lee, Jan. 8, from Amsterdam for Batavia. 16, Am. ship *J. C. Chapman*, Thomas, Feb. 8, from Manila for Hongkong. 19, German *Am. bark Albert*, Eickens, Feb. 20, Nov. 17, from Barry for Singapore. 20, Am. bark *Geard*, A. Tobey, Sharpley, Nov. 17, from Hongkong to Pulo Obi. 22, British *str. Duke of Devonshire*, Long, Jan. 20, from London for Batavia and Brisbane. 23, Dutch *str. Prinses Sophie*, Soomer, Feb. 23, from Batavia for Amoy. 23, Nov. bark *Gonsala*, Sarasa, Nov. 3, from Cardiff for Hongkong.

CARBOLINUM-AVENARIUS

Used for over 20 years. Thoroughly reliable preservative for Wood and Stone against White Ant, Decay, Fungus, Rot, and Damages. Sole Agents for China, HONGKONG, 31st August, 1897. [297]

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Mike Coal Mines, Onomura Coal Mines, Kanabara Coal Mines, The Mito Cotton Spinning Mill, Ltd., Tokyo Marine Insurance Co., Limited, Mito Fire Insurance Co., Limited, Imperial Government Paper Mills, Onoda Cement Works, Onoda Cement Co., Japan, Kanagawa Cotton Spinning Mill, Ltd., Tokyo Cotton Spinning Mill, Japan, Hayashi Clock Factory, Yokohama. Hongkong 4th August, 1897. [204]

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INTIMATIONS

THE HONGKONG COTTON-SPINNING WEAVING & DYING CO. LD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FIRST INSTALLMENT of \$20 per Share on the Shares in above Company becomes due on the Nineteenth day of March, and payment thereof must be made to the Bankers of the Company, viz. the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on or before that date.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers. [194]

Hongkong, 18th February, 1898.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE FIFTEENTH ORDINARY MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE COMPANY will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 8, PRATA CENTRAL, Victoria, on MONDAY, 22nd March, 1898, at 11 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ending 31st December, 1897, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 7th to the 21st inst., both days inclusive.

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INTIMATIONS

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE TWENTIETH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE COMPANY will be held at the OFFICE of the General Agents, at Noon, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd March, for the purpose of receiving their Report with a Statement of Accounts for 31st December, 1897.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 21st March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Agents. [176]

Hongkong, 2nd March, 1898.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE CO., LIMITED, (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given that a SECOND AND FINAL RETURN OF CAPITAL amounting to \$2.75 per Share has been declared in this matter.

On delivery of Scrip to the Liquidator for the purpose of receiving the First Return of Capital, amounting to \$2.75 per Share, declared on the 31st January, 1898, the Liquidator will be bound to issue the Scrip without further delay to enable the final winding-up of this Company.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

[illegible]

SHIPS ON THE BERTH
DEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
 LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
 E Company's Steamship.

"PATROCLUS"
 A Dispatch will be dispatched on above
TUESDAY, this 12th inst.
 Freight apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.
 Agents, 4th March, 1898. [392]

PAUL-WAREKAR-MILBURN LINE.
 NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.
 E Steamship.

"CHAZETTE" **TUESDAY**, the
 12th March.
 To be followed by the
LENNOX, call about 12th April, 1898.
ERLENZ, do. 20th April, 1898.
ENERGIA, do. 5th May, 1898.
 Freight & Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CAILLIE & CO.,
 Agents.
 Liverpool, 12th March, 1898.

[135-476-525-610]

**INDIA NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.**

**PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND,
PERTH, SYDNEY, AND MELBOURNE.**
Agents for the Company's Steamship

"TAXIUM."

will be despatched on **TUES-**
day, the 26th instant, at 3 P.M.

The attention of Passengers is directed to
the Superior Accommodation offered by this
Company. First Class Saloon is situated fore-
ward of the Engine, a Refrigerating Cham-
ber secures the supply of Fresh Provisions
for the entire voyage.

Freight and fully qualified Surgeon is carried, and the
hold is fitted throughout with Electric Light.
Passengers to and from Australia are avail-
able for the steamers of the Eastern and
Australian Branch, and vice versa.

For Freight or Passage apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents,
Singapore: 9th March, 1899. [1354]

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR
GAPPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ,
PORT SAID.
NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP,
BREHLEN, AND HALSBURG.
ON IN THE NEW STEAMER "BLACK
SEA AND BALTIC PORTS."

— ALSO —

FROM NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL-
TIMORE, HONG KONG, SHANGHAI,
YOKOHAMA, AND SOUTH AMERICAN
PORTS.

COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT
UTAHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS
AND LOGGERS.

— CHARGE CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH
BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL
PLACES IN RUSSIA.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)		
BERN	Wednesday	30th Mar.
DE HENNING	Wednesday	27th April.
RUSSIAN	Wednesday	25th May.
.....	Wednesday	22nd June.
.....	Wednesday	20th July.

% HEINRICH Wednesday... 17th Aug.
% HEMMERT Wednesday... 14th Sept.
% KUSSEN Wednesday... 12th Oct.
Wednesday... 9th Nov.
% HEINRICH Wednesday... 4th Jan.

N WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of March, at New York, the Consulate General of Saxony's
CAPTAIN "LYERN," Captain B. Frohn, with
PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and
CARGO, will have this Port as above, CALL
at NAPLES and GENOA.

Parcels received, granted full NOUN
RECEIPTS, the 23rd March, Cargo and
Parcel will be received on Board until 6 P.M. on
WEDNESDAY, the 29th March, and Parcels will
be received at the Agency's Office until Noon
on THURSDAY, the 30th March. No Parcels or
Cargo are required. No Parcel Receipts will
be signed for less than \$2.50 and Parcels shall
exceed Two Feet Cubic in Measurement.

The Steamer has splendid accommodation
for Passengers, a Dining and Stewardess
Cabin, and men can be washed on board.

For further Particulars, apply to
MELCHERS & CO.,
Agents.

Sunday, 3rd March, 1898.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer
"GLAUCUS"
herewith notified that the Cargo is being dis-
gined into Craft, and/or landed at the Gas-
of the Undersigned; in both cases it will
at Consignee's risk. The Cargo will be
for delivery from Craft or Godown on
the 18th inst. Goods delivered after the 18th inst.
subject to rent. All damaged Goods must
be in the Godowns, where they will be
examined at 11 a.m. on the 19th inst.
DUTTEFIELD & SONS, SWIRE,
Agents,
Singapore, 6th March, 1893. 1638
"MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS.
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
S.S. "ENERGIA,"
FROM NEW YORK AND STRAITS.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in-
formed that all Goods are being land-
ed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hon-
ble.

and Kawloon Wharf and Godown Com-
pany, at Kawloon, whence and/or from the
above delivery may be obtained.
It is to be understood that the Goods
to be insured must be actually on board
the Steamer and the Goods must be
delivered after the 21st inst. will be subject
to the following conditions:
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